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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CGEN

SUBJECT: "CONSULAR PACKAGE 1976"

REF: DEPT'S A-4500

POST: SOFIA, BULGARIA	FY 1974	FY 1975	FY 1976
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### SCHEDULE I - IMMIGRANT VISAS

A. IMMIGRANT VISAS ISSUED	12	20	30
B. IMMIGRANT VISAS REFUSED	0	0	0
C. IMMIGRANT VISAS REPLACED	0	0	0
TOTALS	12	20	30

### D. MANHOURS UTILIZED

(1) AMERICAN	169	169	215
(2) LOCAL	242	363	484
TOTALS	411	532	699

E. CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED \$300.00 \$500.00 \$800.00

### SCHEDULE II - NONIMMIGRANT VISAS

A. NIV ISSUED	680	816	979
B. NIV REFUSED	300	360	432
C. NIV REVAL./TRANSFERRED	30	36	43
SUB TOTAL	1010	1212	1444
D. BORDER CROSSING CARDS	0	0	0
E. CREW LIST VISAS			

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INDIVIDUAL NAMES 132 132 132

TOTALS 1013 1215 1447

## F. MANHOURS UTILIZED

(1) AMERICAN	680	680	738
(2) LOCAL	586	879	1172
TOTALS	1266	1559	1910

G. CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED \$722.70 \$867. \$1040.

## SCHEDE III - SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES

A. DEATHS AMERICAN CITIZENS	12	12	12
B. ESTATES/PROPERTY CLAIMS	12	12	12
C. NOTARIALS	495	570	670
D. WELFARE/WHEREABOUTS	20	20	20
E. ARRESTS	1	2	2
F. SEAMEN/SHIPPING	0	0	0
G. SERVICES FEDERAL/STATE	1415	1627	1900

## AGENCIES

TOTAL 1955 2243 2616

H. TREASURY CHECKS 3105 3105 3105

I. CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED \$898.10 \$1068. \$1200.

## J. MANHOURS UTILIZED

(1) AMERICAN	180	810	1215
(2) LOCAL	650	975	1300
TOTAL	1460	1785	2515

## SCHEDE IV - CITIZENSHIP/PASSPORTS

A. EXECUTION APPLICATIONS	20	20	20
B. EXAMINATION APPLICATIONS	0	0	0
C. FEE PASSPORTS ISSUED	20	20	20
D. NO FEE PASSPORTS ISSUED	0	0	0
E. PASSPORTS AMENDED	5	5	5
F. PASSPORTS VERIFIED	0	0	0
G. NEW APPL. FOR REG.	13	15	15
H. BIRTH AFFIDAVIT (FS240)	0	1	1
I. WITNESS TO MARRIAGE	0	0	0
J. PASSPORT WAIVER	0	0	0
TOTAL	58	61	61

## K. REGISTRATIONS

NUMBER REGISTERED 88 95 100

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF

U.S. NAT'L CIVILIANS

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## RESIDENTS -

## U.S. OFFICIALS &amp;

DEPENDENTS	50	50	55
U.S. NON-OFFICIALS	100	100	100

L. CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED \$240. \$250. \$250.

## M. MANHOURS UTILIZED

(1) AMERICAN	ML	329	329	494
(2) LOCAL		268	402	536

TOTAL 597 731 1030

SCHEDULE

V - REMARKS AND JUSTIFICATION

IMMIGRANT VISA WORKLOAD ESTIMATES FOR FY 1975 AND FY 1976 REFLECT INCREASES WHICH WOULD STEM FROM FAVORABLE BULGARIAN GOVERNMENT RESOLUTION SOME 70 "DIVIDED FAMILY" CASES. NON-IMMIGRANT VISA PROJECTION ANTICIPATE CONTINUED GROWTH AT 20 PERCENT ANNUAL RATE ESTABLISHED AS TREND OVER PAST SEVERAL YEARS. PROJECTION OF INCREASED WORKLOAD IN SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES ALSO BASED ON CONTINUING GRADUAL ANNUAL INCREASES. COMPARATIVE ANNUAL FIGURES OVER PAST YEARS SUGGEST DEMAND FOR PASSPORT/CITIZENSHIP SERVICES IS NOT INCREASING. MANHOUR ESTIMATES ALLOW FOR HIRING SECOND CONSULAR FSLE BY MID-FY 1975 AND EMPLOYMENT NEW COMMERCIAL/CONSULAR AMERICAN OFFICER BY BEGINNING FY 1976.

ABOUT FIFTY PERCENT OF NIV APPLICANTS INTERVIEWED. NO INTERPRETER REQUIRED. INTERVIEWS LAST ABOUT 10 MINUTES. ONE KNOWN CASE OF STATUS ADJUSTMENT. CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE ON CONSULAR AFFAIRS INSIGNIFICANT IN TERMS OF MANHOURS PER YEAR.

THREE PAID LOCAL MANHOURS OVERTIME FOR CONSULAR WORK. TOTAL COST \$5.84.

SCHEDULE VI-CONSULAR STAFFING

	CONS.	TOTAL		
	GEN AMER.	LOCAL	AM	LOCAL
FY 1973 AUTHORIZATION		1	1	1
FY 1974 AUTHORIZATION		1	1	1
FY 1974 FILLED POSITIONS (JUNE 30, 1974)		1	1	1
FY 1975 & 1976 REQUIRED		1	2	1
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